

THE FOLLOWING IS CLAIMED:

5           1). A composition comprising a combination comprising at least one polyisobutylene polymer, at least one resin, gilsonite, and at least one filler.

10           2). A composition comprising a combination comprising at least one member selected from the group of ethylene acrylics, fluoropolymers, ethylene functional polymers, grafted EPDM, EPDM functional polymers, styrene block copolymers, and nitrile functional rubbers, at least one bitumin, and at least one passivating agent.

15           3). A high temperature resistant composition comprising a combination comprising at least one polymer, gilsonite, and at least one silicate.

          4). The composition of Claim 2 wherein the polymer comprises EPDM.

          5). The composition of Claim 1 wherein the filler comprises at least one silicate.

20           6). The composition of Claim 2 wherein said polymer comprises at least one EPDM functional polymer, said bitumin comprises gilsonite and said passivating agent comprises at least one silicate.

25           7). The composition of Claim 3 wherein said silicate comprises calcium silicate.

          8). The composition of Claim 6 wherein said at least one silicate comprises calcium silicate.

30           9). The composition of Claim 5 wherein said at least one silicate comprises calcium silicate.

          10). The composition of Claim 3 wherein said polymer comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of epoxy functional, hydroxyl functional and acrylic functional polymers.

          11). The composition of Claim 10 further comprising ethyl vinyl acetate.

40           12). The composition of Claim 1 further comprising at least one reinforcement.

          13). The composition of Claim 2 further comprising at least one reinforcement.

          14). The composition of Claim 3 further comprising at least one reinforcement.

45           15). The composition of Claim 2 further comprising a film upon at least a portion of one surface of said composition.

16). The composition of Claim 2 further comprising at least one expansion agent.

17). The composition of Claim 2 further comprising at least one thermosetting compound and at least one curing agent for said compound.

18). The composition of Claim 2 wherein said polymer comprises at least one radiation curable polymer and at least one photo-initiator.

19). Use of the composition of Claim 1 as a pipeline protectant.

20). Use of the composition of Claim 3 as an automotive sealant.